

the invention are deemed to be covered by the invention, which is to be limited only by the claims which follow. --

IN THE CLAIMS:

In line 1, delete "Patent Claims:" and insert:

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What is claimed is: --

Please delete claims 1-34 and insert new claims 35-68 as follows:

-- 35. A position selector device, comprising:

a base body, and

a housing body, at least partially surrounding the base body, said housing body including a disk body which is secured with respect to the base body by a basic position magnet arrangement and which may be moved with respect to the base body together with at least one motion element.

36. The position selector device recited in claim 35, further comprising position selecting means for determining the relative position between the base body and the housing body.

37. The position selector device recited in claim 35, further comprising:

- (a) a stator body element which includes:
  - (1) at least one magnet element,
  - (2) at least one noise sphere receptor recess with a switching sound sphere positioned therein, and
  - (3) a shaft guide recess;
- (b) wherein the base body is formed as a rotor hollow body which includes:
  - (1) one position sensor toothed ring element having at least one position sensor tooth arranged opposite the magnet elements,
  - (2) one switching sound ring magnet element with at least a switching sound groove, into which the switching sound spheres are inserted, and
  - (3) one shaft element positioned in the shaft guide recess;
- and
- (c) position selector means for determining the position of the rotor hollow body relative to at least one of the housing body and the stator body element.

38. The position selector device recited in claim 35, further comprising:

- (a) a stator body element which includes:
  - (1) at least one magnet element,

(2) at least one noise sphere receptor recess with a switching sound sphere positioned therein, and

(3) a shaft guide recess;

(b) wherein the base body is formed as a rotor hollow body which includes:

(1) one position sensor toothed ring element having at least one position sensor tooth arranged opposite the magnet elements,

(2) one switching sound ring magnet element with at least a switching sound groove, into which the switching sound spheres are inserted, and

(3) one shaft element positioned in the shaft guide recess; and

(c) a moveable tip magnet element, with at least one magnet repelling element positioned opposite it, for producing a characteristic motion line (KL), and

(d) position selector means for determining the position of at least one of the moveable magnet element and the rotor hollow body, on one hand, and the rotor hollow body and the stator body element, with a switching point (KS) after a curve maximum (KLM), on the other.

39. Device according to claim 35, wherein the disk body may be tilted by the motion element with respect to the rotor hollow body.

40. Device according to claim 35, wherein the disk body may be displaced by the motion element with respect to the rotor hollow body.

41. Device according to claim 35, wherein the housing body is at least partially surrounded by a holding hollow cylinder that at least partially rests on a dimming element.

42. Device according to claim 35, wherein the housing body includes a tilt switch receiver recess in which the disk body is held with the basic position magnet arrangement opposing the rotor hollow body.

43. Device according to claim 35, wherein the tip switch recess is provided with an at least partially surrounding displacement wall and the disk body is provided with an at least partially surrounding displacement body recess.

44. Device according to claim 35, wherein the basic position magnet arrangement consists of an upper magnet positioned in the disk body, opposing which an lower plate element is positioned that is located within a final plate element of the rotor hollow body.

45. Device according to claim 44, wherein the lower plate element is formed by an iron plate element or by a lower magnet.

46. Device according to claim 36, wherein the position arrangement consists of a light switch or of a magnet arrangement, opposite which at least one display Hall switch may be moved.

47. Device according to claim 36, wherein the magnet arrangement consists of a display magnet element which is positioned in the disk bodies, to which at least one display plate is assigned, and on which a first display Hall switch is mounted.

48. Device according to claim 36, wherein the magnet arrangement consists of one ring magnet element with a north and a south pole (N, S) that is held by the disk body and has a

working relationship with the rotor hollow body and to which at least a second display Hall switch is assigned, which is held by the stator body element.

49. Device according to claim 36, wherein a displacement display switch, tip display switch and/or rotation display switch are used as a display Hall switch.

50. Device according to claim 36, wherein a double Hall switch is assigned to at least one of the magnet elements as a position arrangement.

51. Device according to claim 50, wherein additional double Hall switches are used as a rotation display switch.

52. Device according to claim 35, wherein a label plate is positioned in the disk body.

53. Device according to claim 35, wherein the disk body and the rotor hollow body are connected via linking pin.

54. Device according to claim 35, wherein two opposing noise sphere receptor recesses are positioned in the stator body element in each of which a switching-sound sphere is located.

55. Device according to claim 35, wherein there are as many switching-sound grooves in the switching-sound ring magnet element as there are position sensor teeth on the position sensor ring element.

56. Device according to claim 55, wherein the positions of the switching-sound grooves and the position sensor teeth are mutually compatible.

57. Device according to claim 38, wherein at least the plate element is positioned on the one side and a counter-magnet element as a repelling magnet element is positioned on the other side opposing the tilt magnet element.

58. Device according to claim 38, wherein the tilt magnet element is positioned with its one magnetic pole (N, S) opposite the same magnetic pole (N, S) of the counter-magnet element and with its other magnetic pole (N, S) at least opposite the plate element.

59. Device according to claim 35, wherein the tilt magnet element includes as one half magnetic north pole (N) and as the other half a magnetic south pole (S).

60. Device according to claim 38, wherein a damping body is at least partially positioned between the plate element and the tilt magnet element.

61. Device according to claim 38, wherein the plate element is a steel plate element.

62. Device according to claim 38, wherein the tilt magnet element, the counter-magnet element, the steel plate element and the damping body are positioned in a tilt switch housing body.

63. Device according to claim 38, wherein the tilt switch housing body may be inserted into the tilt switch receiver recess of the stator body elements.

64. Device according to claim 38, wherein the tilt magnet element may be displaced by a pushrod element that is integrated in the shaft element.